UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	V
In re: SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION, Plaintiff-Applicant, - against –	: Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB) : SIPA Liquidation : (Substantively Consolidated)
BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC, Defendant.	: : : :
In re: BERNARD L. MADOFF,	X : : :
Debtor. IRVING PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC, Plaintiff,	: X : : :
– against – BAM L.P., MICHAEL MANN and MERYL MANN,	: Adv. Pro. No. 10-04390 (SMB) :
Defendants.	: : X

ORDER REGARDING DEFENDANTS' LETTER DATED APRIL 8, 2019

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff moved for summary judgment on December 21, 2018 (the "Motion") (ECF Doc. # 140), and in support thereof, submitted, *inter alia*, the *Declaration of David J. Sheehan in Support of Trustee's Reply Memorandum of Law in Further Support of Motion for Summary Judgment*, dated March 27, 2019 ("Sheehan Reply Declaration") (ECF Doc. # 167);

WHEREAS, the Defendants submitted a letter on April 8, 2019 (ECF Doc. # 169) seeking to (i) strike (the "Request to Strike") the *Sheehan Reply Declaration* and related arguments made in the reply briefs of the Plaintiff and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation ("SIPC"), and (ii) adopt (the "Request to Adopt") the *Sur-Reply of Legacy Capital Ltd. in Response to Reply Memorandum of Law of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation in Support of the Trustee's Motion for Summary Judgment*, dated April 4, 2019 (ECF Adv. Proc. No. 10-05286 Doc. # 212) in response to certain arguments made by SIPC in its reply brief;

WHEREAS, the Plaintiff submitted a response letter on April 10, 2019 (ECF Doc. # 170) objecting to the Request to Strike but not addressing the Request to Adopt;

WHEREAS, the Defendants submitted a subsequent response to the Plaintiff's letter on April 11, 2019 (ECF Doc. # 171).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS

ORDERED, that the parties are directed to address the Request to Strike at the hearing to consider the Motion; and it is further

ORDERED, that the Request to Adopt is granted.

Dated: New York, New York April 16, 2019

/s/ Stuart W. Berustein
STUART M. BERNSTEIN
United States Bankruptcy Court